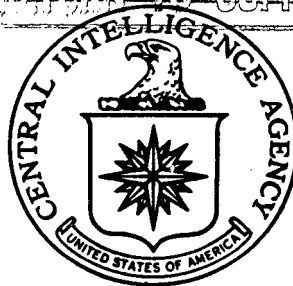


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INSTALLATION: Unidentified Trenches on Sakhalin Island
LOCATION: USSR
B.E. NUMBER: NA
WAC NUMBER: 281

BRIEF NO.: SB-2-57
DATE: 28 June 1957
LAT.: 45°53'N-46°38'N
LONG.: 142°03'E-142°50'E

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REFERENCE:

USAF.SPIR No. 87-A, Special Installations on Southern Sakhalin Island,
May 1953.

REQUIREMENT HTA/SI/S8/57: Determine the status and significance of
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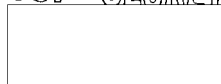
REMARKS:

Photography covering the period from April 1951 to November 1955 was scanned to determine the status and significance of the Sakhalin Island trenches. There seems to be no change in the trenches, and no new facilities are evident. Limitations imposed by the small scale of the photography preclude detailed interpretation which might reveal their function. However, it seems improbable that the purposes of the trenches are in every case similar.

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